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The Richmond papers note the death of Col. Thos. E. Wynne, a State Senator, and President of the Richmond and Petersburg Railroad Company. He was one of the most prominent and useful citizens of Richmond. He is another instance of greatness developed at the printer's case.

The Senate of North Carolina did a very wise thing in laying the resolutions in regard to the Texas Pacific Road on the table. If the amendment of Mr. Love could have influenced Congress in the least, then the merit of the measure would have been apparent, for then our Western North Carolina Road would have been helped, and all the other lines leading east participated in the benefit. But we agree with Mr. Busbee that it was useless to petition this Congress in the premises. It has no ear for the South, except the ear that listens to its harm.

The caucus has not yet triumphed. The last days of the session are passed in the desperate attempt to enslave the whole country, not the South alone, by the operations of the infamous bill reported by the Caucus Committee. We bless the happy ingenuity of the stubborn Democrats in finding another parliamentary weapon of equal efficiency with the one which the Radicals broke some time ago. It may be called trifling with legislation, but it is legitimate. It is fighting the Devil with fire. It is beating the enemy at their own tactics, and it is saving the country or postponing its doom.

We only allude to the report of the Louisiana Committee for one reason, and that is to notice the thorough vindication and exculpation of a people lately proclaimed as banditti, and upon whom the heel of military despotism is still pressing. The history of Louisiana is the history of all States where Radical rule has prevailed. Her vindication is that of all the others who have been maligned. It is true that in Louisiana, oppression has begotten resistance, and resistance has evolved military interference, and that interference has given color to the idea of a new rebellion crushed in the bud, or ready to spring into existence the moment repression was removed. But the people of Louisiana and the people of the South have all the while contended that disorder was not the cause of this oppression. It was the effect of it, and its designed object.

It runs its length in Louisiana until it invited the interposition of the government, the coveted end of a deep laid plan to secure the Radical ascendancy in that State, and by success there, to apply the same system over other States. And it has nearly succeeded. It may even already have succeeded. But it will not have done so without encountering the powerful, though perhaps unintended protest of the Congressional Committees of investigation.

They bear witness of the true state of affairs. They testify of illegality and fraud and violence. And they find just cause for resistance to a State government forcibly imposed upon them, and a Legislature illegally unseated.

The "whole Louisiana Committee are constrained to admit that the action of the Returning Board was illegal and indefensible," and that "therefore the action of the army on the 4th of January was a wanton and meddlesome exertion of illegal military force."

If the exigencies of party success did not demand it, and if the vote of the South, secured by crushing out the real liberties of the people, was not absolutely essential to the continuance of Radical rule, Louisiana would no longer be trodden under foot. Arkansas would not be threatened, and the whole South would recover its vigor and prosperity.

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THE UNITED STATES SENATE IS DARING TO SPEAK.

It has some sense of a dignity so long unasserted as to have been forgotten. A recent report of the Judiciary on a question referred to it, says "the measure of the power of the Executive officers of the government is to be found in the laws of Congress, which will declare that they are to do, and how and when they are to do it." Very sound doctrine. But they have permitted Grant to be a law unto himself. Congress has merely recorded his edicts. Congress has yielded itself to insignificance, whilst the lawless aspirations of Grant have grown by encouragement.

If the Senate will only stick.

The National Republican is pressing Congress to impose a tax upon tea and coffee, which were left out of the new Tariff Bill. This tax seems to be urged for the peculiar benefit of the West and South.

"The South and West can expect no appropriations for rivers and harbors, and other internal improvements unless they are willing to be taxed for such expenditures." This is a subject in which one of those sections at least has no voice, otherwise it would have been raised with effect to prevent the additional tax on tobacco. If the government had squandered less, and spent its means wisely and honestly, there would have been no demand for more taxation, and the South would have been spared this insolent denial of necessary improvements except at the expense of additional burdens.

The Wilmington Journal has a capital article on the subject of the time of holding our State elections, which we fully endorse. We only regret that the Journal has gotten ahead of us in the expression of opinions long entertained and freely uttered.

Like many old customs sanctioned by time and grown dear by long usage, it may be hard to give up the August election—a period of the year fixed by common consent, apparently, as the most suitable to the great body of voters, as interfering least with their avocations. But any other season almost would be found when tried to have the same advantages.

With many, of late especially, there is a pride in being the first to lead off in the annual conflict; to be the first to encounter the shock of battle, and the first to receive the plaudits of triumph. But of late, also, we have come to be the first to be overthrown, and our downfall has been also the downfall of our friends and allies.

There may be something chivalric in inviting upon our exposed and solitary ranks the whole assault of the enemy. It may be brave and glorious to fight and fall in the unequal odds, but experience ought to have taught us that common sense and common prudence are safer guides than the spirited impulses of romantic daring.

It is a matter of fact so well known that since we have had free (?) elections, North Carolina has been the ground upon which the fate of a National campaign has been decided. As she leads off, so have others followed. This is well known to the administration, and has been practiced and will be practiced until a change in the time of the election makes such strategy impossible. It is as needless as it is unwise, to invite upon the State all the vast machinery of governmental influences—the money, the imported voters, the forces of intimidation, or the blandishments of favor. We must seek safety in a crowd, we must cease to be attacked alone, and we hope the Legislature will remove our proud but unsafe distinction.

How MUCH GENUINE CHAMPAGNE IS ANNUALLY CONSUMED IN THE UNITED STATES.—In 1874 we consumed the following amount of imported genuine champagne: 6,038 dozen half-pints champagne, 140,755 dozen half-pints champagne, 154,839 dozen quarts champagne, which is equivalent to 206,512 dozen quart bottles, which is as near as possible a daily consumption of 7,700 quart bottles. Surely a country that has 40,000,000 of inhabitants, among whom we can count 374 Senators and Congressmen, and at least 10,000 Federal and State office-holders with good salaries, may feel very proud indeed if only 6,700 bottles of champagne are drunk daily. The fact is this amount of foreign champagne is drunk by less than 5,000 consumers, and there are at least 10,000 bottles of home-made drunk daily in addition.—"Statistics," in New York World.

Mr. Elijah W. Halford, known to the Hoosiers as "Lige," is popularly credited with having asked a pitoned criminal, who was just about to be turned off, if he would be kind enough to wriggle his little finger while he was conscious, so that the reporters could form some conception of how long a man felt that was being hanged.

The Atlantic Herald says that Senator Gordon stands to-day the greatest Southerner who has entered the halls of Congress since the days of Calhoun.

THE INTEREST IN THE BEECHER TRIAL.

There has all along been much interest in the trial, and many people seem to understand, appears to be rapidly approaching its culmination. The close of the prosecution yesterday was unexpected, and the development now of the policy of the defense will be eagerly awaited. There are rumors of a purpose to break down nearly all the important testimony already in by practicing witnesses, who will swear either to the exact opposite or to such other conduct on the part of the previous witnesses as to destroy their credibility. Mr. Beecher's own appearance, and the state will naturally prove the great event of the trial. But there are half dozen others whose testimony is expected to be, in the language of the reporters, "extremely sensational."—N. Y. Tribune of Wednesday.

Gen. G. W. Custis Lee, President of Washington and Lee College, with his sister, Miss Mary Lee, have arrived at New Orleans, on their way to Texas, where they will remain for several months. The New Orleans Times, after alluding to them as "son and daughter of one who contributed as much to add lustre to the American name as any of the nation's heroes," adds that "it is unnecessary to say that in a city where the name of Lee is a treasured relic all extend a kindly welcome."

The Sunday Herald, a reliable Washington paper, asserts that while Butler was arguing the national bill, the Civil Rights bill recently, and almost within sound of his voice—a negro attempted to outrage a little girl in one of the corridors of the Capitol.

It is funny that some keen American should go to Paris, then return as green as boys from the country in the hands of city sharpers. Paris papers recount the case of a rich American swindled by two café acquaintances out of \$10,000 by a confidence game.

In an English town twenty barrels of gun powder were taken from a shop and put in a cart. The driver mounted, sat on one barrel, lighted his pipe and drove away. Conclusion by next mail.

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